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TOURIST CAMP OPERATORS ARE FACING ADVERTISING PROBLEM

Regulations Governing Signs Placed Along Highways Is Very Clear As To Size And Distance — Act Provides For Licensing Of Signs But None Have Yet Been Issued So Far As Can Be Learned.

As the holiday season opens, tourist camp operators appear prepared to again erect signs along the highways, regardless of regulations as set forth by the Department of Highways.

The battle between tourist home operators and the Department has now been going on for a number of years, and a solution to the problem appears to be just as far distant now as it has in the past.

It is along the Queen Elizabeth Highway that summer resort and tourist camp operators have found their fight with the Department a losing battle. Signs have been erected by the operators, and have been torn down just as quickly by inspectors of the Department.

The operators have tried just about everything in the books. They have erected signs in the middle of orchards and vineyards, property belonging to private individuals, but still the Department steps in, and down the sign comes.

Just how the tourist is able to locate these resorts without benefit of guiding signs, is a mystery, and it certainly will not be through the Information Booth which is now open, and located at Homer. The City of St. Catharines have placed in this booth, persons whose job it is to direct people into the city. Perhaps that will be the solution for the tourist operators in this

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MAYOR OF NEW TOWN



Romaine K. Ross, K.C., well-known St. Catharines and Lincoln County lawyer, who was Reeve of the Village of Port Dalhousie, now becomes Mayor with the raising of the village to the status of a town.

DID YOU KNOW

The following facts and figures in the following article have been compiled by Dr. Harold A. Brownie, Dr. O. P. Mitchell and Dr. D. R. Copeland.

1. That all the children in the public school in Grimsby have been examined for dental defects and cards have been sent home to each parent telling of the condition of the child's mouth?

2. That there are 256 pupils in the public school and there were 1540 cavities or an average of 4.33 cavities per child? 182 baby teeth have been extracted before the permanent tooth was ready to come in and there are 120 more that should be extracted because they are endangering the child's health?

That of the 256 pupils, 121 have never been to the dentist to have a filling done or their teeth examined?

4. That an abscessed tooth can

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GRIMSBY WEATHER

Week ending at 8 a.m., Monday, May 31st, 1948.

Highest temperature 80.0

Lowest temperature 40.2

Precipitation 0.26 inches

Month of May

Highest temperature 80.0

Lowest temperature 35.0

Precipitation 4.32 inches

AND THE OLD FLAG IS STILL FLYING ABOVE

George Warner Uses Four To Six Flags A Year On Post Office Flag Staff.

Recent complaints by Hamilton residents, as to the battered condition of the flag flying atop the Court House, prompted Alderman William Warrender of the Joint Court House Committee, to say that the Committee was doing the best it could to keep the "Old Flag" fluttering in the breeze.

"The flag looks like it had survived several wars," complained one reader of The Spectator.

Alderman Warrender said that the flags these days were made of very poor material, and that it didn't take long for the elements to wreck havoc on the emblem. The Alderman also pointed out that six flags were used per year.

With this in mind we checked with the custodian of the Post Office here in town, and discovered that every day of the year the Red Ensign is raised and lowered on the mast high above Main Street. We also learned that four to six flags are used every year.

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GOVERNMENT GRANTS MADE TO LINCOLN MUNICIPALITIES

The New Government has made the greatest provincial grants to municipalities in Ontario history. The result has been a saving in the tax bill of every local property tax-payer in every municipality in the province.

In his 1948 Budget Speech, Provincial Treasurer Hon. L. M. Frost, emphasized the effect of these grants on "the removal of unfair taxation on real estate" and gave an exact analysis of the savings in 1947-48 as compared with 1946-47 (the last fiscal year under the previous administration), for five representative municipalities.

The figures are now available, county by county, for every one of Ontario's 857 municipalities.

The figures given include only the major categories of Schools, Roads, Health and the Mill-rate subsidy. It should be remembered that this is not the whole story of provincial grants to municipalities. There are many other supplementary grants such as those to local Community Halls, County Fairs, Day Nurseries, Local Societies, Public Libraries, Children's Aid Societies, Homes for the Aged, and so on.

In 1945 total school grants in the province were \$8,851,824. In 1947-48 they were \$20,872,000. In 1948-49 they will be \$23,300,000. In 1943 the total grants to municipal roads were \$3,669,450. In 1948-49 they will be \$16,869,000.

Here is the exact saving to the local taxpayers of each municipality in Lincoln in terms of mills (1942-43 and 1947-48 fiscal years compared).

County of Lincoln	Grants 1942-43	Grants 1947-48	Saving
City of St. Catharines	5.3	10.3	13.3
Town of Grimsby	2.5	5.4	5.9
Town of Merritton	1.8	23.6	19.8
Town of Niagara	3.3	25.4	22.0
Village of Beamsville	3.0	21.8	18.8
Village of Port Dalhousie	12.5	48.2	35.7
Township of Clinton	5.2	18.5	13.3
Township of Gainsboro	6.1	19.9	13.8
	7.6	20.2	12.6

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PLANNING SUITABLE MEMORIAL TO 'MAYOR OF LITTLE PLACES'

At the suggestion of a great number of people, in this his birthplace, The Independent has started a campaign for the erection of a memorial to the late Andy "Neighborly News" Clarke.

It was quite a natural thing for the people of the Grimsby district to come forth with this idea, which we firmly believe will be welcomed by thousands of people throughout Ontario and Quebec. The people of "The Little Places."

When the idea was first broached to the Editor of The Independent he was at a loss to know just what form a memorial to this great son of Grimsby should take. Then "Sandy" Globe came in the office and it was not long until a real memorial to this lad of the Old Forty had been conceived.

As a result of that talk with "Sandy," the Editor immediately contacted C. E. MacCartney, Manager of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, and as a result of that conversation the following letter was sent forward to him and he will present it before the convention of the Ontario-Quebec Division of the Weekly Newspapers Association on the 17th of June, in the City of Toronto.

Grimsby, Ontario, May 28, 1948

Mr. MacCartney,
Manager,
Canadian Weekly Newspapers' Association,
Brampton, Ontario.

Sir:

As you, and the whole world knows, newspaperdom and the Weekly Newspapers of Ontario and Quebec in particular, have lost the best friend that they ever had.

Andy Clarke.

We, of The Grimsby Independent, and his wide legion of friends throughout this Great Grimsby Fruit Belt regret his demise very greatly as we believe all the peoples of the two provinces do.

Now then, Sir, may we here in the Home Town of Andy Clarke, make a suggestion. A suggestion that we believe will receive hearty support from every newspaper publisher and all his readers.

Somewhere, some place, there must be erected a memorial to this man. We here in Grimsby have an idea. We believe that that idea would be along "Andy Clarke lines."

Mexico Is Enchanting Country

From the moment I crossed the border into Mexico, I sensed a feeling of being in a different country—a country of picturesque quality that is typically Mexican. The Mexicans make your introduction into Mexico easy, and my own experience was delightful. Everywhere I was met with courtesy and kindness. It is the Mexican nature to be unhurried and I soon learned to relax and adapt the leisurely pace of Mexican life.

The altitude largely determines the climate and because of this, the climate ranges from tropical to cold. Mexico is built on three planes: the lowlands near the coast called "Tierra caliente"—hot land, a middle table land, "Tierra templada"—temperate land, and the central upper plateau, "Tierra fria"—cold land. The altitude at Mexico City is 7350 ft. with temperatures averaging from about 50 degrees F. to 66 degrees F. The sun is always warm and the air sparklingly clear. Mexico has two seasons, the wet from June to Sep-

tember and the dry from October to May.

Enroute to Mexico City, passed through enchanting sleeping villages with huts built of mud and thatched straw roofs—others were of bamboo with palm thatched roofs. There are no chimneys on the huts and on cold days when fires are built, smoke can be seen pouring from all corners of the roof. Burros and oxen carts are frequently seen on the road. Flowers and surroundings are still in a primitive state and all along I was entranced with the over-

powering scenery of the Sierra Madre mountains. In many parts the language and customs are essentially what they were generations ago.

Mexico City, the capital, is the centre of all things Mexican. The City itself is a wonder city, situated among the mountains and in a valley. Mexico's two great volcanic giants, "Popocatepetl" and "Ixtaccihuatl," called "Popo" and "Ixta" for short, command a bird's-eye view of the entire city and the Valley of Mexico. Most of the streets cross each other at right angles. The architectural contrasts of new, old and ancient are fascinating indeed.

Sunday (Domingo) is always a big day in the City. After "desayuno," (breakfast to you) I strolled through the Paseo de la Reforma, one of the world's most beautiful promenades, extending for about three miles, from El Cabillito to Chapultepec Park. The Paseo de la Reforma has a double "ave-

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THE OLD-NEW LOOK, WOODEN SIDEWALKS AND COAL OIL LAMPS



Here is a look of an old time picture. This was taken when Grimsby was a "wee village" and it will be a poser for the oldtimers let alone any person who has come into this district since 1910. Grimsby has travelled a long way since this picture was taken. Oldtimers do a little studying and tell us what you find out. In any event we will tell ou all about it next week.

TOWN COUNCIL ARE NOW BIG OPERATORS IN REAL ESTATE

CARM MILLYARD IS LIONS PRESIDENT

All Officers Elected By Acclamation — New Grandstand Will Be Officially Opened Friday Night.

Making Plenty Of Sales Of Lots In The Fairview Section—Improvements To Be Made At The Cemetery—Bonfire Destroys Two Fine Maple Trees—Traffic Congestion And Hazards Discussed.

Taking the report of the Property Committee at last Wednesday night's Town Council meeting as a yard stick, the corporation has suddenly become the biggest real estate agency in the Fruit Belt.

During the past month or six weeks a great number of applications were made to the committee for the purchase of lots in the Fairview Avenue section of the town. The committee made a special inspection of the whole Fairview and Murray street sections and then considered each application for lots separately. They also decided that not more than two lots would be sold to any one person and only one lot to a person who already owned a lot adjoining the lot they wished to purchase.

The applications considered are scattered all over the territory in question with some of them being waterfront lots.

The following applications were approved of by council at the prices quoted here:

Miss Agnes Stewart, one lot, \$200.
Dr. Florence M. Smith, one lot, \$200.
M. L. Morris, one lot, \$100.
J. S. Rumsey, one lot, \$300.
P. E. Sawchuk, one lot, \$150.
Robert C. Potter, one lot, \$75. A second lot application was left in abeyance.

Chas. T. Farrell, part of a lot, \$50; E. W. Phelps, part of a lot, \$50.

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PORT DALHOUSIE IS LINCOLN'S BABY TOWN

Also The Youngest In The Province — Now Has A Population Of 2,400—Will Make Improvements.

The Village of Port Dalhousie is no more. Today, it is "The Town of Port Dalhousie," newest town in the province.

Reeve Romaine K. Ross said Friday that he had received word from the Ontario Municipal Board that effective last May 8th, Port Dalhousie would be incorporated as a town. This was according to a request from the village council, which at the same time applied for annexation of approximately 50 acres of land from Louth Township at the west boundary of the former village.

The municipal board notified the council that the annexation had been approved.

Previously the population of the village was 1820. The new land will bring in another 500 persons, raising the population to about 2400. A population of 2,000 is required to be recognized as a town.

Reeve Ross said that next Jan. ratepayers will likely be asked to

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WHERE YOU VOTE

TOWN OF GRIMSBY

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 111

Comprising that portion of the Town of Grimsby lying North of the Northerly limits of the Canadian National Railways right-of-way.

POLLING STATION 111 at Mr. H. Steedman's residence, 12 Ontario St.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 112

Comprising all that portion of the Town of Grimsby lying South of the Northerly limits of the Canadian National Railways right-of-way and, East of the Easterly limits of Depot Street, and North of the Northerly limits of Main Street from the intersection of Main and Depot Streets to the Easterly limits of the said Town.

POLLING STATION 112 at Trinity Hall, Depot St.

Comprising all that portion of the Town of Grimsby lying South of the Northerly limits of the Canadian National Railways right-of-way and, West of the Easterly limits of Main Street from the intersection of Main and Mountain Streets to the Easterly limits of the said Town.

POLLING STATION 113 at Trinity Hall, Depot St.

Comprising all that portion of the Town of Grimsby lying East of the Easterly limits of Mountain Street, and South of the Northerly limits of Main Street from the intersection of Main Street and Mountain Streets to the Easterly limits of the said Town.

POLLING STATION 114 at Baptist Church, Mountain and Elm Sts.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 115

Comprising all that portion of the Town of Grimsby lying West

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FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

LET US EXPAND

Twice during his last year of office as Mayor of Grimsby, ex-Mayor Edric S. Johnson in addressing the Town Council warned the members that the day was not too distant when they, or whoever sat in their high and exalted seats, would have to consider the widening of Main Street.

At that time I went and measured the curb line and so-called boulevards that parallel the sidewalks on both sides of the street and I found that over seven feet could be added to the width of the street.

Now seven feet on paper does not look to be very much but you take seven feet and add it to a heavily travelled, congested thoroughfare like Main Street, and it means a tremendous lot. And moreover that travel and congestion is not going to grow less, it certainly is going to grow greater. How could it do otherwise in Grimsby?

Now I am going to reopen this street widening question. What prompts me to do so is the fact that Mayor Harry Ball, D. Elliott Anderson and James Ithamer Theal, sitting as the members of Grimsby Hydro Commission have so much money in the bank that it is worrying them. Being the good citizens and municipal representatives that they are, they do not believe that they should keep the people's money locked up in John Holder's iron clad vault. Well, here is a chance for them to spend it and spend it legally.

In the widening of Main Street the most costly portion of the job would be the burying underground of the hydro wires and the erection of new and prominent light standards. The Hydro Commission has the money, the people's money, and they have the legal authority to do that job. I hope that they look at the situation in the same light that I do, I mean Hydro light.

So far as those farcical boulevards are concerned, they can be pulled out and carted away in three days. Sure you have to move four fire hydrants. I'll bet all the peaches in the Fruit Belt against a thin dime that Superintendent of Waterworks Andy Henderson could work out an idea in 10 minutes that would take care of that problem and very likely they would be better placed than where they are now located.

Then we have to pave the extra width of the street. Well, if you will read elsewhere in this paper you will find figures that show the Drew government paid a very large portion of the 1947 road costs in the Town of Grimsby. As Main Street is a part and parcel of Number 8 Highway, the best and finest highway in Ontario, it can reasonably be presumed that the government will assist the town in the cost of laying that extra piece of pavement.

The extra width that would be added to Main Street by having this work gone through with would make the Famous Old Street one of the finest in the world.

Also there is another question that I believe that "Our Three Men of Light" should deal with, and immediately. What about rebuilding the whole street lighting system of Grimsby? As we sit right now we are in the dark. Everytime that I come over Anderson's hill or Palmer's hill after the shadows have fallen I think I am entering the nine mile long C.P.R. tunnel in the Rockies. There never was a dirtier looking, darker street in the world after night than Main Street and I certainly do not mean morally. I mean from a street lighting standpoint. And that goes for every street in town.

I do not want anybody to think that I am riding our Hydro Commission. For from that for I think that the Town of Grimsby has the three best commissioners that any town could have. I only offer these suggestions in order to help the Commissioners in their efforts to help the people.

The taxpayers of the Town of Grimsby must remember that Hydro is theirs. The money that is in the bank is theirs. There are only certain things that the law allows their Commissioners to use that money for. Therefore let the people tell me or tell the

Commissioners that they wish to have Main Street widened and that they want better street lighting all through the town and I believe that the three custodians of your money will accede to your request.

Just get busy by mail, telephone and personal contact and see what will happen.

Yours for a greater Hydro Grimsby.

WHAT A MESALLIANCE!

Are the C.C.F. and the Labor-Progressives wedded in holy matrimony? We don't know exactly whether it was a shotgun wedding or not, one of those things people sometimes read about. But the fact is very evident that there has been a courtship, the basic purpose of which is to beat the good government of Drew. We have proof before us.

In a lot of sob stuff in a pamphlet issued by the Communists—they label themselves Labor Progressives, and at the bottom of this sheet, under the authority of the Ontario Committee headquarters, 95 King St. E., Toronto, in the very heaviest type, there is the injunction "VOTE C.C.F."

This is a tie-up that can be proven to the hilt, a tie-up between Ontario Communists and the C.C.F. And the tie-up is further confirmed by what the C.C.F. candidate said at his own nomination meeting in Lincoln County, his own words, not denied after many days: "Russia is no menace."

What the voters of Lincoln have to be on guard against on June 7 is apathy. There won't be a Communist vote left unpolled in this riding, and when a patriotic citizen stays away from the poll, he or she just makes every Communist-C.C.F. alliance vote more effective and powerful.

THE C.C.F. DID NOT BUILD THIS HOSPITAL

(St. Catharines Standard)

The St. Catharines General Hospital, whose Board of Governors today announced plans for a major expansion, has a proud history, extending back for more than eighty years. It was opened as the St. Catharines General and Marine Hospital in a small frame building on Cherry street in the year 1865, and was later moved to the top of the hill on Hainer street. In 1870, a part of the present site was purchased and the Hospital has been located there since that date, constantly growing to meet the needs of the community.

St. Catharines also has the distinction of being the location of the first training school for nurses on the North American Continent. This school is known as the Mack Training School, and was established in 1874 as a result of the inspiration of Dr. Theophilus Mack. The school, which will celebrate its 75th anniversary next year, has been operating ever since in conjunction with the Hospital.

At the present time, the Hospital has a capacity of 182 adult beds and children's cots, with an additional 50 bassinets for babies. The proposed expansion will increase this capacity to a total of 322 beds and cots, not including bassinets. The completed hospital will provide accommodation for isolation patients, and also for chronic patients' beds.

In their planning for new Hospital facilities, the Board of the General Hospital has given consideration to the development of a centrally located hospital to give specialist services to the whole area between Hamilton and Niagara, and between Lake Ontario and Lake Erie. Within a radius of 23 miles of St. Catharines there is a population of between 175,000 and 200,000 people. There are seven small hospitals in this area, of which the largest is the St. Catharines General Hospital. Within this area, it is felt that there should be an institution large enough to accommodate sufficient patients, and well enough equipped to warrant the retention of specialist medical men, and technical staff.

The Hospital already operates a branch of the Ontario Provincial Laboratory and maintains a full time Pathologist, Dr. Lorne Whitaker, and a staff of six technicians.

CHECK ACCIDENTS

Motorists looking forward to safe and pleasant driving this summer will heed the timely advice from the Ontario Highways Department to check the efficiency of their cars. And this is a good month to do it—now that the winter's wear and tear is over and before the heavy long-distance travelling begins.

It is well to keep in mind the importance of mechanical condition of cars in this question of accident prevention. Statistics do not give a complete picture. For one thing it is difficult to determine from a smashed car just what mechanical defect may have caused the accident. Also a car-owner who has, say, faulty brakes is often loath to admit it after they have caused him to get into an accident. Nevertheless 12 per cent of the convictions for violation of the Highway Traffic Act last year was for the operation of defective motor vehicles.

There are other factors, too, that highlight the car-owner's responsibility to keep his machine in good condition. These were aptly summarized by Lt.-Col. W. Arch Bryce, director of the University of Toronto division of Public Safety, in a radio talk. He explained how a driver, with a car that does not act the way he expected, forces other drivers to take steps to avoid one accident, and how this may easily set up a chain of circumstances

resulting in an accident which might not involve the defective car at all. In this way, Col. Bryce explained, the driver of the defective car takes unfair advantage of the man who does look after his car.

In addition, the driver with a defective car, like a football player with bad knees, has his mind on the defect as much as on the driving. He's driving with fear at his elbow and this makes him a menace. A driver who operates his car with uncertain brakes, wobbly steering, poor lights or any other defect, brings to his driving a divided mind; and safe driving demands undivided attention.

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LAND TOO HIGH

Nine families of Canadian Mennonites flew southward Thursday to establish, on the fertile plains of Paraguay, a new colony free from the turmoil of civilization.

Soon the vanguard of "plain people" will be followed by 1,500 other members of the religious sect, who are making a bid for peaceful living as their forefathers did two centuries ago.

There were 51 men, women and children in the advance group that took off at dawn, bound for a 100,000-acre tract in southeastern Paraguay. This vast area of undeveloped cattle and farmland will be their home.

The Mennonites are leaving their colony in Arden, Manitoba, founded in 1874 by the "old Dutch," who fled to the new world from Holland, and were joined by others from Germany and Russia.

They found freedom in the Canadian province but now their North American homeland has grown too "crowded."

The first settlers arrived at Miami, Fla., after a 130-hour bus trip. Others will sail directly from Canada next month.

Jacob Hildebrand, spokesman for the group, explained that in Manitoba "there is no place for our young men to get their living from the earth, as our custom demands. The land is too high."

"We have always moved when the place where we are crowds us. Our young men were leaving us for the cities and the factories because they could not buy land."

The migrating Mennonites are leaving some 50,000 of their neighbors, who prefer to remain in Canada. Their new colony will be separated from the one established in northwestern Paraguay, 21 years ago, by another band of settlers.

GOING TRAVELLING

Because of the present dollar shortage, Canadians will not be overcrowding American railways for some time yet to come. At the same time it is nice to look forward in anticipation to another day.

To this end we are informed by J. M. Fitzgerald, of New York, vice-chairman of the Eastern Railroads President's Conference, that today's Pullman berth is on its way out.

Tomorrow—the women will have all the hip and arm room they need for wriggling into girdles, and the men will be able to dress without doing a neck stand.

All this because the United States railways now have on order more new passenger equipment (\$500,000,000 worth) than was installed in the fifteen years prior to World War II, and all sleeping cars will be rooms or roomettes.

A LOT OF FREEDOM

A recent Associated Press despatch from Washington says: "The century of 1848-1948 also saw the redress of the women's 18 grievances. Besides the right of franchise, they also won the right to hold office, own and control property, collect wages, make a will, practise a profession, share the guardianship of children, and be a witness in court after marriage."

"They gained the right of freedom of speech, freedom to organize, freedom to petition, freedom to follow conscience in the matter of religion, greater economic opportunity, higher wages, equal education with men, equal representation, equality in marriage rights, equality in the social state."

That is a lot of liberty, but the despatch didn't add that with all her liberties, women are not any happier than they were when the only liberty they had was to keep house as it should be kept, and to raise families as they should be raised.

Penned and Pilfered

He who can take advice is sometimes superior to him who can give it.

Civilized progress is not made by machines but by men and women.

There are no circumstances, however, unfortunate that clever people do not extract some advantage from.

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Good carpenters build sound houses—Good building builds sound homes.

The Kitchener-Waterloo Record says too many people wind up as shippers.

Less than one week left of the extra month of grace allowed on income tax returns.

Nobody does battle with Premier Drew without the realization he's battling in a tough league.

Business is never as good as optimists expect nor as bad as pessimists predict—it couldn't be.

Ma says it is okay to put your summer underwear on. Boy, that has been a big argument this spring.

Added to the corn emanating from the screen in many modern moving in the steady crunch of popcorn ears.

As a good political fisherman Mr. Abbott believes in keeping all the bait until election year brings a full run.

Some people thirst after knowledge, some after fame, and some after love, but all people thirst after salted peanuts.

Looks like Councillor Bert Constable, Chairman of the Property Committee, is the biggest real estate dealer in the Fruit Belt. Who gets the commissions?

It looked like the good old days to see Robert "Kate" Hughes up on Saturday afternoon. Almost twice a year is Kate's limit of getting up on Main Street.

A gossip is one who talks to you about others; a bore is one who talks to you about himself; and a brilliant conversationalist is one who talks to you about yourself.

Social Crediters in Lincoln aren't satisfied with present political parties and their "social debt" policies, so they've nominated H. A. Prentiss as their standard bearer.

Two motorists met on a narrow bridge. "I never back up for an idiot," snarled one of them. The other tipped his hat, shifted into reverse, and said: "It doesn't matter, I always do."

From The Peach King Lion, official bulletin of the Grimsby Lions Club—"Our sincere sympathy goes to Bob Bourne upon the death of his father, another little bit of Grimsby gone."

I still don't understand how "Bill's Delivery" gets special parking privileges in the westbound bus stop zone and particularly when buses are due and arrive and as a consequence their back ends are forced to stick out across Depot Street.

Councillor James "I still maintain we need another policeman" Braul would have been happy to see the manner in which Chief Turner and Constable George Seymour handled Main Street traffic on Saturday afternoon, particularly when the Roxbury Theatre turned loose about 400 kids from the matinee.

Here is a note that was left on the Editor's desk by that oratorical prodigy, Art Bryce—"It was a beautiful night when three energetic and enterprising students entered the hallowed sanctuary of The Independent and by the smell of the place were immediately converted to torism." Son, you never smelled anything finer. You have reached your zenith, politically.

WINDOW-FULL OF FISHING TACKLE

He's looking at the window—sighs—But what he sees are country streams.

Half hidden in their tangled vines.

Tall trees through which the sunlight gleams.

A round pool like a padding dish.

Where one can catch the glimpse of fish.

He hears the crunch of underbrush.

The sudden snapping of a twig.

He feels the feel of moss and peat.

He knows the very place to dig.

Where worms are juicy, fat and sleek.

Above the low bank of a creek.

He's looking at a glistening spoon.

And sees in fancy a deep pool.

Like bottom ink, where speckled trout.

Lies in the shadowy dark and cool;

A casting rod, a scurvy fly.

An arched dome of azure sky.

Trot baskets fill his longing heart.

Almost to bursting as he feels.

The taste of oil—oils on his lips.

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COMPLETE FOOD MARKET

SPAGHETTI SAUCE	SPICUZZA	16-OZ. JAR	25¢
VAN CAMP'S PORK & BEANS		18-OZ. TIN	15¢
V-8 VEGETABLE JUICE		30-OZ. TIN	16¢
AYLMER WAX BEANS		30-OZ. TIN	15¢
CHOICE SIEVE 4-5 PEAS	DEW KIST	30-OZ. TIN	16¢
ROMAR COFFEE	1/2-LB. BAG	1-LB. BAG	27¢
GROVES' MAPLE SYRUP		16-OZ. JUG	45¢
JELL-O PUDDINGS	ASSORTED	2 PKGS.	17¢
JOLLY GOOD DATES	PITTED	1-LB. PKG.	19¢
NEWPORT FLUFFS	CEREAL	PKG. 29¢	43¢
VEGETABLE SOUP	HEINZ	.3-OZ. TIN	13¢
SWEET MIXED PICKLES	RED SEAL	46-OZ. JAR	57¢
CAULIFLOWER AND ONION PICKLES		16-OZ. JAR	25¢
BRANT PAPER SERVIETTES		BOX OF 200	39¢
JOHNSON'S GLO COAT	TIN	59¢	\$1.07
O'CEDAR CREAM POLISH	FOR FURNITURE	BOTTLE	25¢
CATARAC DRY GINGER ALE	2 LQ. BTL.	25¢	Deposit Extra

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DANDEE TEA	1/2 LB. PKG.	37¢
JIFFY TREAT	1 LB. PKG.	73¢
SLICED SIDE BACON	1/2 LB. PKG.	32¢
COMPLETE PIE MIX	JACKSON'S PKG.	24¢
BROOKFIELD CHEESE	2-LB. LOAF	89¢
SUGAR BUTTER	CREAMED TIN	25¢
SPECIAL PROCESS PEAS	2 LBS. 27¢	27¢
RED GLO TOMATOES	20-OZ. TIN	19¢
AYLMER LIMA BEANS	20-OZ. TIN	19¢
CHOCOLATE CHIPITS	2 PKGS.	29¢
INSTANT AIDS	VIRGINIA DARE 2 BTL.	23¢

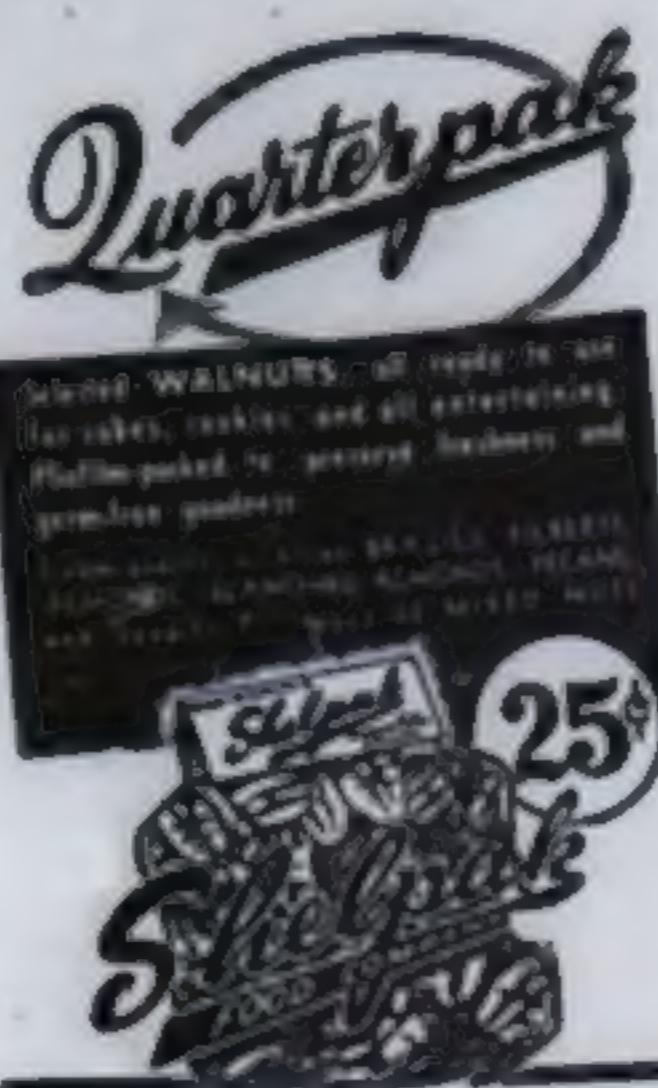


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ROYAL MANOR	Peanut Butter 16-OZ. JAR	39¢
RASPBERRY WITH PECTIN	JAM 24-OZ. JAR	34¢
STRAWBERRY WITH PECTIN	JAM 24-OZ. JAR	37¢

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KOTEX	2 BOXES	65¢
COOK'S FOIL	PKG. 45¢	
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Here are the exact amounts of the annual provincial grants to each municipality in Lincoln in terms of Dollars (1942-43 and 1947-48 fiscal years compared).

County of Lincoln	1942-43	1947-48
City of St. Catharines	\$231,563	\$643,225
Town of Grimsby	5,340	40,405
Town of Merriton	4,735	32,060
Town of Niagara	2,805	21,754
Village of Beamsville	9,265	26,413
Township of Port Dalhousie	4,765	18,302
Township of Colton	6,835	26,000
Township of Clinton	11,090	42,936
Township of Gainsborough	10,046	34,984
Township of Grantham	27,612	71,234
Township of North Grimsby	8,224	23,187
Township of South Grimsby	9,001	29,426
Township of Louth	16,704	43,260
Township of Niagara	14,439	30,367

Here are the Provincial grants to each municipality in Lincoln in terms of schools, roads and the mill-rate subsidy (1942-43 and 1947-48 fiscal years compared).

County of Lincoln	1942-43	1947-48
City of St. Catharines	\$112,324	\$72,015
Town of Grimsby	20,945	36,271
Town of Merriton	4,370	1,564
Town of Niagara	4,824	3,974
Village of Beamsville	1,992	964
Township of Port Dalhousie	8,541	765
Township of Colton	3,829	929
Township of Clinton	3,444	2,552
Township of Gainsborough	5,079	1,628
Township of Grantham	6,573	1,332
Township of North Grimsby	17,079	8,670
Township of South Grimsby	3,405	1,652
Township of Louth	4,680	561
Township of Niagara	7,314	1,718
1947-48	6,682	4,000
County of Lincoln	509,879	349,232
City of St. Catharines	126,045	32,603
Town of Grimsby	26,499	2,011
Town of Merriton	8,223	10,681
Town of Niagara	15,823	4,739
Village of Beamsville	86,300	1,264
Township of Port Dalhousie	14,069	3,253
Township of Colton	10,307	15,472
Township of Clinton	19,540	20,622
Township of Gainsborough	12,835	12,814
Township of Grantham	46,445	26,290
Township of North Grimsby	13,386	8,124
Township of South Grimsby	21,545	7,035
Township of Louth	27,329	14,215
Township of Niagara	26,634	51,584

The Story Of Increased Hospital Grants

In the last year of the McPherson Government (1942-43) only \$27,500 was given in capital grants to public hospitals in Ontario. Last year (1947-48) under the present Progressive Conservative government, a total of \$2,076,769 was approved in capital grants to hospitals and \$1,037,148 of this was actually paid out.

This great achievement of the Diefenbaker Government in hospital grants is the direct result of the new policy of paying (for the first time in history) capital grants of from \$1,000 to \$2,000 per bed for new construction work in hospitals.

This spectacular activity of the government in the fiscal year just ended will add 2,264 hospital beds and 360 bathtubs to the facilities of Ontario hospitals ranging from Toronto to Red Lake.

In 1947-48, the grant to West Lincoln Memorial Hospital totalled \$14,000 which is being paid despite the loss by fire of the hospital.

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district. They shall have to place a personal representative in this booth to give directions to the tourist looking for a place to sleep. Naturally this would be a trifle involved, and conditions would be slightly congested at the booth, what with some hundred or so personal representatives all milling around trying to direct the unfortunate tourist to his own establishment.

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You know the record of the government and the many things it has done to advance the interests of all our people. You know the tremendous programme of development which we have approved and which will go into effect if we receive your support on June the 7th. We believe that is the way to assure employment in the years ahead. On the other side you have a static point of view which thinks that all this development should be deferred until the threat of unemployment which they are constantly predicting is actually upon us. Developments of this kind take years to complete and the best way to maintain employment in the future is to provide the power and other resources which are needed to keep employment at a high level. That is the point of view we ask you to support.

I do wish to emphasize one unusual feature of this election. The Communists in this province, relatively small in numbers, are highly organized. They are supporting the C.C.F. I recognize that the leaders of the C.C.F. Party have disavowed this support. The fact remains, however, that in every riding except two where there are Communist candidates who were members of the last Legislature, the Communist vote, large or small, is going to the support of C.C.F. candidates. This may be unfortunate for the C.C.F., and may be against the wishes of that Party. It is apparent, however, that the policies of the C.C.F. Party find sufficient acceptance with the Communists to gain their support.

No matter how worthy any individual C.C.F. candidate may be you have only one way of making sure that your vote is not going to be joined with a Communist vote. It should be remembered that in every country where Communism has come to power, including Russia, it came originally through an alignment with the Socialist party in that country. You may think the danger is still far away here in Canada. Only a few years ago they thought it was very far away in those countries which have been brought under Communist slavery within the past three years. The time to end the threat of Communism is while we are still strong and free, not when freedom hangs in the balance and we face one last desperate decision.

This is not just an ordinary election. With democracy threatened all over the world as it is today, this is an opportunity for the people of Ontario to show by their vote that they really believe in the right to vote. Naturally I hope that you will support the candidate of our party in your riding. No matter how you vote, however, may I urge every one of you to exercise your franchise so that we demonstrate to ourselves and to those living in less fortunate lands, that we really know the value of our freedom. Never has this province advanced so greatly as it has under the progressive policies of the present government. Our programme for the future provides for still greater development in the years ahead. With the great opportunities which are before us, I hope you will give us an overwhelming mandate to keep Ontario strong through the years ahead.

Vote *George Drew*
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NORTH GRIMSBY

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 106

Comprising all lands situate between Lake Ontario on the north, the line between Concession 2 and 3 on the south, the Township of Clinton on the east, and the Town of Grimsby and Grimsby Mountain road on the west.

Polling Station 106 A to L and M to Z at Grimsby Park School, No. 8 Highway.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 107

Comprising all lands situate between Lake Ontario on the north, the line between Concessions 2 and 3 on the south, the Town of Grimsby and the Grimsby Mountain Road on the east, and the Township of Saltfleet on the west.

Polling Station 107 at Hager's School, No. 8 Highway.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 108

Comprising all lands situate between Concessions 2 and 3 on the north, the Township of South Grimsby on the south, the line between Lots 13 and 14 on the east, and the Township of Saltfleet on the west.

Polling Station 108 at Mr. Ed. Flory's residence, Ridge Road.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 109

Comprising all lands situate between the line between Concessions 2 and 3 on the north; the Township of South Grimsby on the south; the Township of Clinton on the east; and lot 4 on the mountain on the west.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 110

Comprising all lands situate between the Town of Grimsby on the north, the Township of South Grimsby on the south, the line between Lots 4 and 5 on the east, and the line between Lots 13 and 14 on the west.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 111

Comprising all lands situate between the Town of Grimsby on the north, the Township of South Grimsby on the south, the line between Lots 4 and 5 on the east, and the line between Lots 13 and 14 on the west.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 112

Comprising all lands situate between the Municipality lying on the South side of, and South of King Street.

Polling Station 104A, A to L, at Mr. Gibson's residence, King St., and 104B, M to Z, at Potter Electric, King St.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 105

Comprising all that part of the Municipality lying on the North side of, and North of King Street.

Polling Station 105A, A to L, at Mr. E. O. Konkle's residence, King St., and 105B, M to Z, at Mr. Jas. Hannigan's residence, King Street.

TOWNSHIP OF CLINTON

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 98

Comprising the whole of Concessions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 from the town line between Clinton and Louth, to the Road Allowance between Lots 4 and 5.

Polling Station 98A and 98B at Charles Fretz's Barber Shop, Vineland.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 99

Comprising the whole of Concessions 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, and Gore from the Township line between Clinton and Louth, to the road allowance between Lots 13 and 13 and the part of the 8th Concession lying between 6 and 12.

Polling Station 99 at Campion Town Hall.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 100

Comprising the whole of Concessions 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and Gore, from the Road Allowance between Lots 13 and 12, to the Road Allowance between Lots 18 and 19, then Concession 5 added from Road Allowance between Lots 18 and 19 to the Township Line between Clinton and North Grimsby.

Polling Station 100 at Grubb's School.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 101

Comprising the whole of Broken Front and Concessions 1, 2, 3 and 4 from the Road Allowance between Lots 18 and 19 to the Town Line between Clinton and North Grimsby.

Polling Station 101 at Mr. C. Shepard's residence, R.R. 1 Beamserville.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 102

Comprising the whole of Broken Front, Concessions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 from the Road Allowance between Lots 12 and 13 to Road Allowance between Lots 18 and 19, excluding therefrom the Village of Beamserville.

Polling Station 102 at Mr. F. Remaigne's residence, R.R. 1, Beamserville.

POLLING SUB-DIVISION NO. 103

Comprising the whole of Broken Front Concessions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 from the Road Allowance between Lots 1 and 5 in the Road Allowance between Lots 12 and 13 except that part of Concession 5 lying on top of the mountain.

Polling Station 103 at Maple Grove School House, R.R. 1, Beamserville.

AND THE OLD FLAG

"When the Ensign gets in bad shape, I just write away and get a new one," said George Warner. "But one thing for sure, the colors go up every morning around six, and come down every night at six."

Speaking of flags, there appeared to be a very small showing of same on May 24th. There was a time when almost every residence, place of business and even autos sported a Union Jack or some type of British flag on Queen Victoria's birthday. From all appearances this habit is fast dying out—or perhaps the shortage of new flags still exists. As a parting gesture, and still about flags, June 18th is election day. Get out and vote, and vote right. The British Flag is the only one we want in this country.

PORT DALHOUSIE
elect a larger council than the five-man council now in office. It is expected that there will be a mayor, a reeve, a deputy-reeve, and either four or six councillors, depending upon the decision of this year's council over the forma-

tion of next year's board. This new council formation will give Port Dalhousie a second seat in the County Council.

The new section of the village lies between the lake and the old canal. It extends the westerly boundary of the village from the cannery factory west to the Cole and Blaikie farms, but does not include the farms.

The extra 50 acres contains some 200 houses, part of what was formerly Corbett Park. Near the lake are many buildings constructed as summer cottages, but during the housing shortage most of them have been improved and winterized as permanent dwellings.

Discussions on the annexation started last summer. The residents of the area held a meeting and the majority were in favor of annexation. They then presented the village council with a petition expressing their desire. Early this spring the council gave final readings to the by-law making application to the Municipal Board to annex the area.

The area previously had hydro in the homes, and had village water. As soon as the ratepayers petition council, it will start projects to give the residents sewers, street lights and improved roads. Previously the town police were not obliged to patrol the area although they did respond to calls. In future they will patrol that section of the town. Fire service will be of the same quality as before; previously the area enjoyed the service of the Port Dalhousie fire department, but through a special agreement between Louth Township and the village.

Total assessment of the town will be increased by about \$100,000 by the annexation.

The new area will become an West Ward. This adds an extra ward to the North and South Wards previously used on election days.

The new area has been served by garbage collection arranged privately. The town now is completing a new modern \$10,000 incinerator on the Michigan side, and this is expected to be finished within a month. The new area will then receive the same garbage service as the rest of the town.

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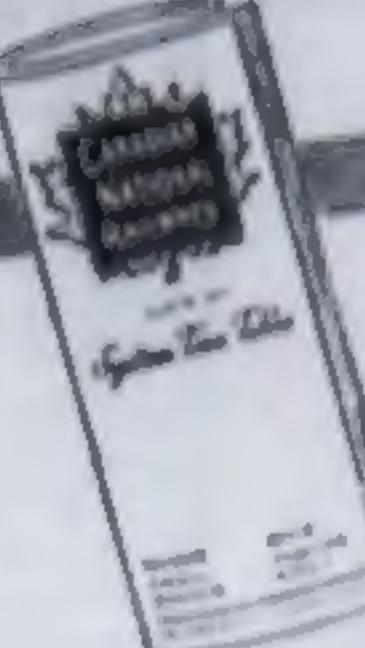
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Saturday in Navy League Tag Day.

Col. W. W. Johnson, North Bay, was a weekend visitor in town.

Mrs. Larry McGaughey motored from Lindsay and spent a very enjoyable week visiting friends and relatives in Grimsby, Hamilton and district.

Word from R. A. Eaton of Tilbury, formerly of Grimsby, is to the effect that Mrs. Eaton was operated upon in the Lakey Clinic in Boston on May 6th, and is now making rapid recovery, so much so that she will be able to return home this weekend.

This week in Toronto University Convocation Week, and Mrs. L. R. Aiken, a graduate of 1888, is celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of her graduation as a guest at the various functions—receptions, luncheons, garden parties and dinners. Owing to the large number graduating this year, there will be several convocations.

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SUNDAY, JUNE 6th
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SUNDAY, JUNE 6th

2nd Sunday after Trinity
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Service.
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.
3:00 p.m.—Bible Class.
7:00 p.m.—Evensong and Service.

Trinity United Church

Rev. A. L. Griffith, B.A., Minister

SUNDAY, JUNE 6th

11 a.m.—Morning Worship and Junior Congregation. Preacher: Rev. Dr. John Coburn of the Ontario Temperance Federation.
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—"JOHN, THE MYSTIC" The Minister will preach.

Dorothy Walker, Hamilton, was a weekend guest of her cousin, Donna Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wilkins and daughter, St. Andrew's Ave., were recent visitors of Mrs. R. B. Ferri, London, Ontario.

At the request of the management of the Beam Theatre in Beamsville, some of the outstanding numbers of Susette's Dance Revue will be presented on the stage tonight.

HEALTH CLINIC

Sixteen infants and 11 pre-school children were in attendance, along with their mothers, at the Well-Baby Clinic held at St. Andrew's Parish Hall on Tuesday afternoon. Immunizations completed. 2: successful smallpox vaccinations.

Volunteer helpers, Mrs. L. Larson, from the Women's Institute, and Mrs. A. Henley from the Mother's Club.

The Health Unit was represented by Dr. James L. Jeffs, Miss Mary Floyd, Miss Isabel Price.

GREEN TREES GUESTS

Mrs. Gus Lenz, Miss Mildred Meriz, Ms. E. O. Jeder, of Detroit, Mich.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. G. W. Devilk, of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hiel and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morder of Toronto.

Mrs. R. C. Dunbar and Miss H. Dunbar, of Guelph.

Mrs. Marjorie Hayes and Mrs. T. Cunningham of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker and Nancy, of Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brown of Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Evans, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Kelly, Cleveland.



Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wallace Smith's wedding took place on May 15, in St. Clair Avenue United Church, Toronto. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lionel Wilson of Toronto, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith, Grimsby.



Fluptials

STUART—HONEY

The wedding took place May 8, at St. John's Anglican Church, Winona, when Edith Bernice, daughter of Mrs. Honey and the late Mr. George Honey, was united in marriage to Bruce Campbell, only son of Mrs. Stuart and the late Mr. Norman Stuart.

The Rev. Dr. G. F. Scovil officiated and Mrs. Marjorie Riley played the wedding music.

The bride wore a pictureque gown of bridal satin made with sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice, long pointed sleeves, and full skirt forming a circular train. Her long veil was caught to the head with a pearl coronet, and she carried an ivory covered prayer book with white gardenias. Miss Edith Stuart, sister of the groom attended as maid of honour. George Robinson was groomsmen, and Messrs. Edward McNinch and Morley MacCallum were ushers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mrs. Lorne Glover, No. 8 Highway Winona, for 60 guests. The bride and groom left for a motor trip to Montreal. On their return they will reside in Grimsby.

GEORGE—STEWART

The marriage of Miss M. Jean Stewart, Toronto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. Stewart, Grimsby, to Mr. Harold James George, Montpelier, Vermont, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd George, Kitchener, took place on Saturday in St. John's Church, Norway. Rev. F. V. Nicholson officiated with Mr. W. H. Mould at the organ.

A gown of white satin was worn by the bride, made with padded full skirt effect, fan-tail train and lily point sleeves. Her fingertip veil was held with a corner of orange blossoms, and her bouquets were Better Times roses, 11-of-the-valley and white sweet peas. Her father gave her in marriage.

Miss Eleonee Stanion, the only attendant, wore heaven blue batiste silk, made with high ruffled line and full skirt with flannel bustle back. She carried Butterflies roses.

Mr. Jack George, Kitchener, and groomsmen for his brother and the ushers were Mr. Marshall and Mr. James McFarlane, both of Montpelier.

The reception was at the Royal York Hotel. The couple left for the evening. The Chapter will be holding a Tag Day on June 26th. Mrs. E. Marlowe will convene this meeting and will live in Montpelier.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. W. F. Randall and family wish to thank the Grimsby Council and friends for the lovely flowers and sympathy extended during their recent bereavement.

TRINITY SERVICE CLUB

The members of Trinity Service Club under the very able chairmanship of Mrs. Victor Cattin held a highly successful lawn tea at the home of Mrs. Carm Millard, St. Andrew's Ave., on Friday afternoon. The ideal weather accounted for the excellent turnout.

The guests were received at the door in the afternoon by Mrs. Millard and Mrs. Russell Terry, President, and in the evening by Mrs. Millard and Mrs. Gordon Cole, Vice-President. Pouring tea in the afternoon were Mrs. A. L. Griffith and Mrs. W. A. McNiven; in the evening Miss Verna Lewis and Mrs. John Millar.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with flowers and provided a perfect setting for the junior misses serving tea. Namely, in the afternoon, Eleanor and Patricia Merritt, Carol Baxter and Pat Dowie. In the evening, Marilyn Millard, Betty Shantz, Geraldine Marsh and Peggy Dowie.

There were numerous articles made by the members and displayed on an attractive work table overlooking the garden, which found ready sale throughout the afternoon.

The following ladies contributed to the affair and much thanks is due them. Madames Robt. Johnson, Dick Mitchell, John Aikens, etc.

Recent letters from the Old Country, have voiced the joy and appreciation with which the parcels of food and cases of clothing have been received. One letter from the former Mayor of Southgate, gives an excellent account of their very fair method for the distribution of these parcels of clothing and foods.

OPEN FOR INSPECTION

According to the requests of a great number of people, Edward and Mrs. Hand, operators of the Lakeside Cabin on the lakeshore at the foot of Maple Avenue, have made arrangements to allow the general public to come and inspect these fine cabins on Sunday afternoons between the hours of two and four.

Children must be accompanied by their parents.

Another letter from an eight year old boy recently discharged from the Queen Elizabeth hospital where he had been confined, expressed his keen interest in Canada as well as his thanks for the nursery bag, one of the many sent from this Chapter. The Queen Elizabeth hospital for children is an institution in which the I.O.D.E. is actively interested, having considerable to do with the sending of source items from Canada.

Used clothing, clean, and in good condition are always acceptable and may be left at the home of Mrs. William Morris, King St. W. Your contributions will be greatly appreciated.

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BIRTHS AT WEST LINCOLN
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STANDING ON CURB

(Toronto Telegram)

Thieves are no respecters of persons, not even of newly-weds. Mr. and Mrs. Harold George, departing in a shower of confetti and good wishes after their wedding Saturday, hurried to the curb to find their new 1948 Plymouth in which they were to leave for a tour of the Maritimes, stolen. It hasn't been recovered yet and the keenly chagrined young couple had the beginning of their honeymoon spoiled for them as they finally left in a borrowed car.

Note:- Mrs. George is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. Stewart, art. of Grimsby.—Ed.

NAVY LEAGUE ASKING
FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE

Saturday is Navy League Tag Day in Grimsby and district.

The work that the Navy League of Canada is doing among merchant seamen comes into sharper focus in view of world conditions as they exist today. In its clubs and hostels on both the east and west coasts, the Navy League was helpful to more than six hundred thousand merchant seamen in the twelve months of 1947, providing meals, sleeping accommodation and entertainment.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Navy League of Canada visit the sick and injured seamen in the hospitals and sick bays on our coasts, bringing to them encouragement and supplying them with many extra comforts. This kindly service is also carried on in many inland cities among the men of the navy and merchant navy who are confined in hospitals and convalescent homes.

In order to carry on its many activities on behalf of the men of the sea and the youth of Canada, the Navy League depends upon its members and well-wishers for the necessary financial support. Part of this support comes from the tag days that are held by volunteers in each community. A generous response from the citizens of this community will help the Navy League to maintain its services.

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GOINGS - COMINGS - DOINGS

Grimsby Beach

MISS MAY CRITTENDEN,
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Telephone Your News Items To Her.

Mrs. J. R. Storr of Toronto, has Terry poked his head out and yelled "Our tent's full of green glow-worms!" Then Jimmy sat up, yawned, and said "It's night, but I can't sleep." Who could? Bill D's complaint was that his sleeping bag had two wrong ends, so he was never found in either! But how he could work, when it came to building the steps. At last, peace and quiet crept into the ravine. Only the crackle of the fire, the chuckling brook, the whisper of a soft breeze, in the trees, and a night bird's plaintive song.

Misses Sally and Judith Pearson of Toronto, were guests of their grandmother, Mrs. J. Pearson, over the weekend.

Mrs. T. R. Todd and Miss C. Todd have returned to Beamsville after spending the winter in the Roberts cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Schuermann and Douglas from Buffalo, were guests for the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Greenwood, Mrs. Greenwood's sister, Mrs. Milton at Ex-Coll-O Beach, on Lake Erie.

Friends of Mrs. R. Voll will be sorry to learn that she is in the hospital in Hamilton. She has our best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Out of town visitors who came to see Suzette's Dance Revue were Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, of Mr. and Mrs. who visited Mr. and Mrs. Orval Eickmeier of Central Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gooderham, of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Furness Clarke, Park Rd. Mrs. Clarke's sister, Miss B. A. Meyer of Montreal, was spending the summer with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rayner returned to the Beach district this week from St. Catharines. They have bought the home belonging to the Misses Cline on No. 8 High way. We welcome them back. Misses Eva and Miriam Cline and Miss I. Crawford are moving to their new home in Grimsby. They will all be missed by their many friends.

BEACH CIRCLE

The Beach Circle of the Women's Association of Trinity United Church, Grimsby, met on May 26th at the home of Mrs. W. Hunter, Central Ave.

The president, Mrs. C. Wech, occupied the chair. Mrs. Shaw read the Bible, taking Martha as the subject, thus adding another to our list of "Women of the Bible" study. Mrs. Burgess gave the prayer.

The Roll Call was answered by a "Household Hint" and proved helpful and entertaining.

A number of pretty and useful articles were collected by the work committee for the sale to be held on August 7th in the Park.

It was decided to hold next month's meeting one week earlier than usual—on June 16th.

A dainty lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. McGee, Mrs. Burgess and Mrs. Hildreth.

Rev. See. Edith Edgar

BEACH WOLF CUB PACK

Saturday, May 29th, was the longest day of the year, in Akela's estimation. I wouldn't have had it a moment shorter, and it couldn't have been more enjoyable. Even the hours I lay awake, tortured by the softness of the earth's surface, listening to endless whisperings, giggles, and noises of unknown origin, I was happy, and proud to be sharing the first thrill of overnight camping with my 1st Star Cubs. "Do Your Best" is our motto, and every cub lived up to it this, at work and play. Here's to next year!

Friday at 4:15 Akela and thirteen cubs marched off to our Lair with colours flying. Kim and Mo had the big tent pitched so wasn't long before the fire was blazing, and the big pot of gumbo soup was bubbling on the hearth. Our first bit of excitement came when Harry D had a wild scramble to keep a little toad from plopping into the soup. It was taken down to the brook for a swim instead.

With the Union Jack flying high above us, the Grand Howl rang through the woods. Thanks to Mr. Morton we at last have an outdoor meeting place, and camp site. We ate and ate. Last of all came great slabs of Akela's chocolate cake! Fun till the flag was lowered at sundown. Toasted marshmallows, cookies of them! Harry was heard to remark: "We're all stuck up with marshmallows." So down to the brook for a wash, then to bed, but not sleep!

As the night darkened, the log outside the tent flap started to glow with a phosphorous light. Before long, a good part of the log was inside the tent, flying around.

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KIDDIES DANCE REVUE

Suzette Sutherland, former dance teacher from Toronto, and member of Volkoff's Canadian Ballet, presented her pupils in their Annual Dance Revue at Trinity Hall last Friday night.

A large and enthusiastic audience greeted the performance which was of the highest standard and kept them entertained from beginning to end.

The Ballet, Secrets of the Deep Sea, was one of the outstanding scenes of the evening. Dancers, representing Seaweed waving back and forth were: Charlotte Globe, Elizabeth Crichton, Jill Garnham, Mary Phelps, Donna Marie Thompson, Gloria Henderson, Patsy Johnson, Lois Bedford, Wendy Sutherland, Jon McCallum, Mary Ann Nelles, Ondra Farrell, Olga Bilyana. The brightly costumed Goldfish who glided gently among the seaweed were: Judy Ann Head, Susan McIntyre, Karen Parker, Elizabeth Eickmeier, Peggy Globe, Gail Farrell, Catherine Mitchell.

The Mother of Pearl, danced by Kay James, was beautifully portrayed. Then came the tiny mermaids with their long silver tails. These little tots were certainly very dainty and caused quite a lot of amusement at times. If you looked closely under their long golden hair you would have recognised Kathleen Harper, Linda Farrell, Elaine Saunders Jacqueline Law, Donna Ogilvie, Kristin Eickmeier, Mary Davies.

Then in swam the Deep Sea Diver, Peter Eickmeier who frightened them all away, after swimming around he found an Oyster and on opening it discovered the Pearl Baby, little four year old "Tootie" Sutherland. These two were kiddies danced delightfully together and got a big hand.

The three young gymnasts, Sandy Macelivitch, Warren Sutherland and Gary Tiverton performed on the mats doing hand stands, cartwheels, building pyramids, etc.

The Dutch number "Wooden Shoes" was well presented in a setting by an old Dutch mill in a tulip garden by Donna Marie Thompson, Barbara Harper, Valerie Markey, Marjory Hill, Jill Garnham, Rosalie Tiverton and Olga Bilyana, with Patsy Verner and Jack Baldwin as vocalists.

Probably the most promising dancer of the studio was talented Patay Johnson who did a solo "Peasant Dance" which was very well received.

The Exhibition Waltz, danced by Mary Crichton, Evelyn Uren, Margaret Hogan and Catherine Cole was beautifully executed.

This was followed by a military tap under the Union Jacks by Ondra Farrell, Jackie Baldwin, Mary Ann Nelles, Murray Shaw, Patay Johnson and Sandy Macelivitch, with Elizabeth Eickmeier as the Majorette dancing on her drum.

One of the most beautiful numbers on the program was the Ballet scene, Alice Blue Gown. The part of Alice in the Store Window was taken by Jackie Ellis, another promising dancer. The song was by Patsy Verner and the dancers were Wendy Sutherland, Lois Bedford, Elizabeth Crichton, Mary Phelps, Charlotte Globe, Jan McCallum and Kay James.

Rhythms in Red, a snappy tap routine by Jewel Steink, Evelyn Uren and Jackie Ellis was much applauded.

A Highland tap dance "Fling and Swing" danced by Joan Montgomery, Beth Ann Tuer, Glenda Moore and Barbara Shaw was received with great enthusiasm, as well as many other colourful and interesting numbers.

Guest artist on the program was Stella Ivanchuk, accordionist; Joyce Maycock, vocalist; Alice Demerling, Joyce Maycock and Beatrice Demerling, song and dance group; Mr. R. W. Mitchell, assisting at the piano as well as Mrs. Hawes, Mr. H. Bramham and Mr. Vera Pitt, who supplied lively music during intermission.

The pianists for the evening were Misses Evelyn and Katherine Uren. At the end of the evening's exceptionally fine entertainment presentations were made to Suzanne by the pupils of the Studio.

WOLF CUB PACK

John Brooks received his third year service star at last week's outdoor meeting.

The Sixers instructed their sixes in signs for tracking and trailing, and after each cub had set up his own set of signs, the work was inspected by Akela and Cub Instructors.

The White Six were judged to have built the best display, helped along by their action during inspection.

The pack wish to thank Mrs. E. Cornwell and her committee for their work on the curtains for the fair that will soon be in operation.

This week's meeting will be held tonight, Thursday, instead of the regular Friday evening meeting.



CLUB

The Beaver Club held a pot luck supper on Monday in the church room. This was the last weekly meeting until fall.

About 30 members were present and the losing shuffleboard team took the winning team to the theatre after supper.

The next meeting will be June 21st at the home of Mrs. G. Garrison, Murray St.

Coming Events

Sale of Home Baking Saturday, June 5th, held under the auspices of the Alexa Rebekah Lodge from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Obituary

THOMAS DAVIDSON
(St. Catharines Standard)

A resident of this community for the past four years and well known and very highly respected by many friends, Thomas Davidson, beloved husband of Agnes Stewart Brown Davidson, 28 Henley Dr., passed away on Wednesday afternoon at St. Catharines General Hospital following an illness of one week.

Born in Chapel Hall, Scotland, he was in his 80th year and during his residence here enjoyed the acquaintance of many friends who will leave with sincere regret of his passing.

He was a veteran of the First Great War and had also served 22 years in the Imperial Army and 21 years in the Canadian Army where he was a first class warrant officer and signal instructor.

The three young gymnasts, Sandy Macelivitch, Warren Sutherland and Gary Tiverton performed on the mats doing hand stands, cartwheels, building pyramids, etc.

The Dutch number "Wooden Shoes" was well presented in a setting by an old Dutch mill in a tulip garden by Donna Marie Thompson, Barbara Harper, Valerie Markey, Marjory Hill, Jill Garnham, Rosalie Tiverton and Olga Bilyana, with Patsy Verner and Jack Baldwin as vocalists.

He is survived by his sorrowing widow, one son, James W. Davidson of Deep River, Ont., and two daughters, Mrs. Philip Krouseberg of Vanckleek Hill, Ont., and Mrs. Edward H. Cudney of Winona, Ont. One sister and thirteen grandchildren also survive.

LEGION JOTTINGS

WEST LINCOLN BRANCH,
No. 127

The Executive Committee of the Branch meets on Wednesday, June 5th, at 8 p.m., at the Legion Club.

The next monthly General Meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 16th, at 8 p.m., at the Legion Club.

Our thanks to those members who assisted in the administration of the Field Events at the Legion meet on Victoria Day. The smooth running of the programme was due especially to Father O'Donnell as Starter, Mrs. N. Warner and Miss K. Pyndyk, who compiled the records, and the voice of one McGregor. We didn't thank Bob Aldrick for his assistance on the Prize List.

Legion Services to individual veterans is an important element in maintaining the power and prestige of the Canadian Legion. Local Authorities, Provincial Governments and the Federal Government realize its value and importance in their relations with the veteran body. The service is free and is available to anyone who at any time wore the King's uniform voluntarily, or who served in an Allied Force and is now a Canadian Citizen or British subject, and to their dependents.

In addition to the Service Bureau maintained by the Ontario Provincial Command, the West Lincoln Branch has a Service Officer who has direct contact with the Command Service Officer, and several other Soldier or Veteran Organizations and funds. While the care of the disabled and war benefit in the first charge upon the Legion Service, a great deal of individual case work is accomplished covering all aspects of rehabilitation, and a variety of personal problems.

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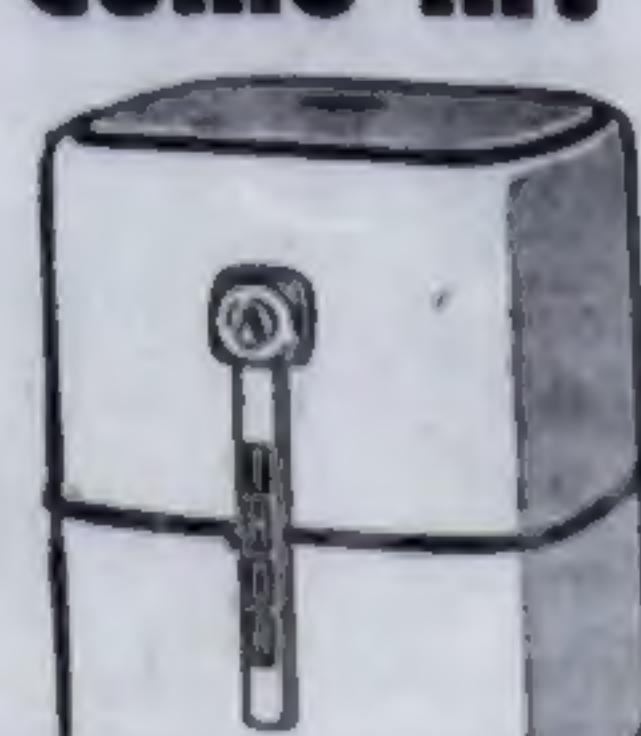
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CONTINUATIONS

TOWN COUNCIL

Edmund Hunter, one lot at \$100 and one lot at \$150.

Lawrence Anderson, one lot, \$150.

Robert O. Konkla, one lot, \$150.

Several applications for lots were held over for further consideration.

Property committee also reported that they had made an inspection of Queen's Lawn cemetery and that general conditions were good. They discovered that one of the property owners to the west of the cemetery had piled all his tree trimmings and brush in a pile adjoining the cemetery property and burned it. In the process two fine maple trees on the cemetery property were very badly burned and it is quite unlikely that they will live. On motion it was decided to get a Commercial Tree Surgeon to view the trees and make an assessment as to their value. On motion the Clerk was instructed to write the property owner responsible for the damage and notified him that he will be assessed for the damage to the trees.

A portion of the creek bed through the cemetery will be cleaned out and restored. Some popular trees edging the entrance driveway will be removed as this row of trees has now grown too thick. Repairs will be made to the driveway bridge. The tool house will be repaired and a new roof placed thereon.

At the instance of Councillor Bercham, council at its next meeting will pass a bylaw prohibiting the removal of sand and gravel off the beaches lying within the boundaries of the town. This move is being made in conjunction with the erosion problem facing all municipalities along the lake.

Councillor Bonham again asked the property committee if they intended to clean up the filthy condition of the jail cells when the painting job of the fire hall building was done.

Councillor Braid again brought up the question of rearranging the westbound bus zone. This westbound parking spot has become really too small when the larger size buses pull in as their rear ends stick out over Depot street and cause a very bad traffic hazard. In all probability the zone will be extended further west a car or two car lengths. Speeding of motorists, buses and trucks on Main street in the east and west portions of the town also called forth some criticism from Coun. Braid, as he believed this speeding by vehicles has become a very dangerous practice.

Clark Bourne was instructed to write the three property owners whose property adjoins Queen's Lawn cemetery on the west to place a valuation on the portions of the land that the town wishes to secure for the enlarging of the cemetery so that negotiations for the properties can immediately be gone forward with. The total acreage is five and a half acres.

MEXICO ENCHANTING
"land with tall trees and two broad walks with stone benches and figures of men prominent in Mexican history. On Sunday morning, the Paseo de la Reforma taken on a festive appearance. Scores of people find their way to Chapultepec Park at the end of the Paseo. The "charro" or cowboys, in elaborate riding habits with silver decorated saddles, canter along the side roadway. Behind Chapultepec Park is a Charro Field, where Mexican cowboys perform daring feats on horseback before a wildly cheering crowd.

About eleven o'clock a taxi whisked me out of the "Paseo" past many palatial homes with their wrought iron grills, colorful patios and carved doorways, and I arrived at Xochimilco—"Floating Gardens"—a small lake dotted with hundreds of little islands and prolific vegetation. Xochimilco is in a carnival mood every Sunday afternoon. The canals are thronged with flat bottom gondola-like "trajineras" (boats) and I stepped into one called "Jolita." There was also "Pepita", "Carmita" and many other "Isas", and a poor boy, not the least interesting part of the picture, pedaled or poled their way up and down the canals, selling things to eat and drink. Some had large jars of "pulque" (beer) made from the sap of the maguey cactus. Others had tamales, tortillas, flowers, vegetables, etc. For a few pesos, a rhumba band will follow your boat and serenade you with popular tunes. The spirit of gaiety which permeates the atmosphere is contagious indeed, and my day at Xochimilco will always be regarded as one of the highlights of the trip.

At four o'clock I headed towards the Plaza de Toros—the Bull Ring. Bull fighting is the favorite sport of the Spaniards and Latin Americans and is the most patronized of all places of amusement in the Mexican capital. It is difficult though, to see this sport in the eyes of the Mexicans and I lost interest after the first bull was dragged from the arena. Another favorite amusement of the Mexicans is cock fighting.

Monday (Lunes) I took a tour of Mexico City, starting from the Zocalo. The most impressive structure on the Zocalo, is the Cathedral. It has the distinction of being the oldest Christian church in North America. My next objective was the Palace of Fine Arts, then to the National Palace. Here I gazed in awe at the Sacrificial Stone. It is an amazing piece of Indian sculpture, but you forget its beauty and wonder when you think of its original use being the stage for wholesale human slaughter of the victims offered to the Gods. Next I visited the Aztec calendar—a most spectacular relic of 25 tons. This perpetual calendar will go on telling the dates until the end of time. That night I saw a Jai-Alai game, a very fast game and another Mexican's leading sport events.

Tuesday (Martes) I visited the mercados (markets). Mexico has always been noted for its markets and everything one can think of is sold in these places. The more successful merchants have well stocked booths with attractive displays. The less fortunate ones arrange their handicrafts on tables, protected from the sun by adjustable awnings, supported by poles. Many ragged men and women simply squat on the ground with their wares spread out before them. These sprawling markets are practically an open air department store. A day at the market is always a glorious adventure. I followed the crowd with their brightly colored baskets and everywhere heard them bargaining for som-

breros, china, toys, lacquered bowls, chickens, vegetables and fruits, too numerous to mention. In the "mercado de flores," flower market, there are streets of roses, poppies, carnations, poinsettias, dianthus, violets, gladioli, forget-me-nots, lilies, etc. In the afternoon, I went to El Hippodrome de las Americas, one of the world's most beautiful racetracks.

Wednesday (Jueves) I visited the famous and picturesque Shrine of Guadalupe, an ancient pilgrimage church erected to the Patroness of Mexico, the Virgin of Guadalupe—then on to see the mighty Pyramids of the Sun and Moon. The Pyramid of the Sun is the most spectacular monument. This 216' volcanic rock consisting of five pyramidal terraces and measuring 700' on each side of the base, dominates the entire countryside. In Aztec days, the top was occupied by a wooden temple dedicated to the God of the sun. North of the Pyramid of the Sun is the Pyramid of the Moon, a comparatively small mound.

Thursday (Viernes) after an exhilarating 100 mile drive through superb mountainous scenery, I arrived at Taxco, the silver mining centre. Taxco is particularly quaint, perched on a mountain side, with its red roofed houses, clinging to the mountain and one almost on top of the other. For over 200 years or more, these village people have been wandering over cobble narrow streets up and down hill and live as though in another century. Because of its unique character, the Government has made Taxco a national monument and prohibits the building of modern structures in an effort to preserve its historical charm. I visited the famed silversmith shops and saw dozens of unusual hand wrought items. The Mexican is an instinctive artist. Dominating the town and countryside, is a handsome parish church built on a plaza, by Borda, in 1787, as a religious offering for the silver he had taken from the Taxco mines.

Friday (Viernes) I went on to Cuernavaca—charming town, a flame of color with beautiful bougainvillea trees, lining the streets. Here I strolled through the famous Borda Gardens and visited the Palace of Cortes with its spectacular Diego Rivera murals.

Saturday (Sábado) I continued on, over a lousy drive, passing irrigated fields of rice, sugar cane, banana plantations and many interesting haciendas and finally reached Acapulco—Mexico's most popular seaside resort, situated in a lush tropical paradise, overlooking the brilliant blue Bay of Acapulco and the Pacific ocean. The Bay of Acapulco, one of the world's finest natural harbours, is three miles long and landlocked by encircling mountains. The Plaza in town is a gay place, with its souvenir stands, native market and its interesting pottery, silver and goldsmith shops.

Mexico does business in much the same way as we do, but they do it at different hours. Business sets under way at nine o'clock in the morning, and at 1:30 or two o'clock, shops close for a lengthy and leisurely lunch period, during which time most people go home. Rest ends at four o'clock and business life continues until 7:30 in the evening.

The two most important articles of apparel in Mexico are the "serape" (for men)—a woven blanket with a slit in the centre, and the "rebozo" (for women)—a cotton shawl. Every Indian woman in rural Mexico has a rebozo. During the day she drapes it over her head or fashion it around her shoulders to form a manta for her infant. In the evening it serves as a wrap.

Almost everyone is sure to come upon a fiesta day during his stay in Mexico. These festivals, usually pagan in character, are celebrated with fireworks, primitive dances and gay and colorful fair.

Of Mexico's twenty million and some people, approximately 60 per cent live by the land and stock raising is an important item. Upon driving through rural Mexico, I was disinfected for hoof and mouth disease. This procedure consisted of the car going through a disinfecting bath, after which the wheels are sprayed, while the occupants of the car walked through a trough about 4 feet by 8 feet which was filled with a disinfectant sawdust-like material. Acres of corn go into the Mexican staple of life—tortillas—a thick pancake made of coarse cornmeal.

It was with regret that I said "adios" to the land south of the Rio Grande, but I returned home with many happy memories of an exciting and adventurous sojourn spent with the people in the land of "mamana."

ENCOURAGING PEACE
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FRUIT BELT SOFTBALLERS PLAY THEIR OPENING GAMES

At long last the Fruit Belt schedule opened on Wednesday night, and according to the dates on said schedule it is going to be a very long drawn out affair, with eighty four games carded. The season will be over on the 17th of August.

As per usual there has been criticism about this and that by various parties, with the biggest gripe being the length of the program, plus the fact that in many cases a team will be playing two nights in succession, and up to three games a week.

However, we think Tom Collins and his executive have done a pretty good job, and assuring fans of plenty of softball for the next couple of months.

Until such time as we have had a chance to scout the entire circuit, it will be impossible to judge the calibre of ball the fans will witness but from a few reports we have in so far, the league should be pretty evenly contested, with no one team walking away with all the honours.

The Independent will endeavour to keep you posted on all games, although naturally we cannot cover each game, so we shall have to depend on the team secretaries or scorekeepers to give us reports on games that are not covered. Let it never be said that we did not give any team the publicity they need, but if they expect publicity they will have to co-operate with us to earn it.

Stoney Creek, May 26th—Winona took an eight to five decision from Stoney Creek in the league opener here on Wednesday night. D'Arcy Parker was the winning pitcher for Winona, going the entire route.

Smithville, May 27th—Doc Schwab led his Grimsby Peach Kings into Smithville on Thursday night, with Johnny Belot and Cap Foster having a bit of a pitcher's duel for four innings. Joe Belot broke the ice in the fourth for the first of six Smithville runs.

Smithville baffled Peach King batters with his fast side-arm delivery, striking out eighteen of the thirty-five batters that faced him. Foster went the route for the Kings, allowed eight hits, and struck out twelve Smithville batters.

Smithville rallied in the fifth, scoring three runs, including Joe Belot's homer to deep right field. The Kings failed to get a man across until the eighth, when Nelson scored for the lone Peach King run.

The Peach Kings have had very little practice, and are a trifle weak in two or three spots. If Schwab can fill a couple of these, the Kings should hold their own. Foster looked good on the mound, but should have been replaced in the sixth inning.

Smithville — R H E
Smithville — 6 2 2
Peach Kings — 1 4 5
Batteries: Smithville—Book and Belot; Peach Kings—Schwab and Foster.

Grimsby, May 28th—A sizable crowd seated themselves on the new grandstand on Friday night, and caught their first glimpses of the two softball teams representing Grimsby in the Fruit Belt League. For three innings Foster and Book hurled hideous ball, but in the fourth Miller walked and scored on an error. Metcalfe scored on Jenson's double to give Merchants the first two runs. In the Peach Kings half of the fourth, York singled, as did Quigley, with York scoring on a close play at the plate. York was injured on the play and was forced to leave the game. The Peach Kings' troubles started at this point.

The Merchants picked up two more runs on Smith's triple and Gregory's double in the fifth, but it was the sixth error-packed inning that saw the Merchants score seven runs on four hits, three errors and a walk. The seventh was a repetition as Foster weakened, and the Kings committed four more errors. Cole scored in the Kings half of the seventh and final inning to make the final count sixteen to two.

Umpires: Thompson and Fisher. Stoney Creek, May 28—Beamserville got off to a bad start, as Niagara Food Products handed them a sixteen to two reverse on the Stoney Creek diamond. The second and third innings were the tough ones for Pud Reid's side, after that Beamserville settled down and played fair ball behind the steady pitching of Johnny Geddes.

Winona, May 28—In the third



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As we all realize, democracy as we know it, cannot function unless everyone is prepared to accept the responsibilities which accompany the freedoms, rights, privileges and blessings which we enjoy. One of the gravest of these responsibilities, is the exercise of the franchise.

At this stage, with the election only a scant four days away, the leaders of all three major political parties are alarmed, at the lack of interest in the election on the part of the people. On every hand, the same expressions are heard: 'It's a quiet election; there's no interest.'

The people of Lincoln Riding and indeed, the residents of this Community of Grimsby, may be guilty of taking for granted, the rights and privileges, which we enjoy as citizens of a free and democratic country.

In the 1945 general election, more than one and one-half million registered voters failed to cast their ballots. Surely that must not happen again. This is not a partisan appeal but rather an appeal to our patriotism, to our sense of citizenship, so that there may be awakened an appreciation of the authority which resides in us—the people of Grimsby and every other town, city and hamlet across this province.

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SPORTOLOGY

(By Bones Livingston, Sportologist)

THE OFFICIAL OPENING of the Lions Club grandstand at the Public School grounds will take place this Friday night, just prior to the game between Beamsville and the Peach Kings. It is likely that officials of the Lions Club as well as civic and Board of Education members will be present for the official opening.

Just how much the erecting of this grandstand is appreciated is best told by talking to some of the people who enjoy watching last week's games. The Civic Improvement Committee of the Lions under the Chairmanship of LION EARL J. MARSH, is certainly to be congratulated for this fine piece of improvement for civic betterment.

TO CARM MILLYARD, NEXT PRESIDENT OF THE JONES CLUB — The new five year \$5,000,000 Ontario Government plan recently announced by the Hon. Thomas L. Kennedy, Provincial Minister of Agriculture, will be in the form of grants to assist rural townships, villages and towns to build athletic fields, skating rinks, swimming pools, and clubhouses, under the new provisions of the Community Halls Act.

The Minister stressed that the present Government had always been keenly interested in the development of a sound and healthy community life in rural Ontario.

"That is why," he said, "at the session this Spring, radical changes were made in the Community Halls Act to encourage rural residents to provide recreational facilities for their young people. Maximum grants under this Act were increased from \$2000 to \$5000."

"The Act has been extended," the Minister added, "so that grants will not only be paid for halls and athletic fields, but also will provide for skating rinks, swimming pools, and dressing rooms, and clubhouses. Its provisions will be extended to towns and in part, to all municipalities."

WHAT ABOUT THE "OLD MAN OF WINONA?" — Hockey fans are still speculating whether "Toe" Blake will come back to NHL

league after that compound fracture of the left ankle last season. Blake, who got his real start while playing for Tigers' senior OHA club, finished the season as coach of the winning Houston Huskies, in the U.S. League and, if he never returns to the Big Time, he's fairly well provided for as a coach.

Many think he will return for another season under the Big Tent, but, even if he doesn't he will have a record that will stand for a long time.

"Toe" has won just about every honour the NHL can provide. He has been chosen either 'on the first or second all-star team five times. He led the league in scoring in 1936-37, the same season he won the Hart Trophy. Seven years later he won the Lady Byng award.

"Toe" had his heart set on tying or surpassing Bill Cowley's scoring records. His injury last season was a great blow to him, because he thought he might have attained his desire in that campaign. As it was Blake had come within five points of tying Cowley's 100 points. Cowley had 946 points during a regular season's play and Blake had 927 points up to the time he was injured.

Blake has been a terrific hockey player, one of the greatest "clutch" men of them all.

Perhaps he'll be back to try and pick up those extra points before definitely climbing to the shelf.

If not, however, his name will be written with the "big" of hockey and his career will serve as an inspiration to newcomers for all time to come.—Ivan Miller, in The Hamilton Spectator.

LAWN BOWLING NOTES

President Bert Webster officially opened the rejuvenated bowling green on Monday, May 24th, thus bringing the popular pastime back to Grimsby after a lengthy absence.

The greens are in top condition, and compare with any greens in the Province. The lighting system recently installed is said to be the best in the district, according to those who have bowled under the aegis.

Membership is growing by leaps and bounds, and it looks like a strong club will be representing Grimsby in this extremely popular summer pastime.

President Webster has extended an invitation to all persons interested in lawn bowling.

On Friday evening, May 28th, a successful jitney was staged, with over forty bowlers competing for three fine prizes. Competition was keen, with Matt Fisher coming out on top after some fine bowling. Cecil Bouslaugh and Artie Clark won second and third honours.

Friday night is the regular jitney night at the club, and all bowlers are welcomed to compete in this event.

FUNNY LAWS

(Denver Post)
We like funny laws. Passing them must be almost as much fun as reading them, for the statute books of the land are liberally sprinkled with the ludicrous.

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tooth can cause the permanent
teeth to come in crooked?That sixty-four children need
to have their teeth straightened?That the health defect most
commonly found by health authorities
in this area is dental decay?That dental defects in children
are due to faulty or unsuitable
diet?That the addition of cane
sugar to our diet is believed to be
the source of most dental decay?
(a) eating sugar in any form,
white, brown, icing, pastries and
soft drinks. (b) eating between
meals or before going to bed at
night.

That after 2½ the child

should see the dentist every four
months?11. That preventive dentistry is
the least expensive for the parents
and the easiest for the child?12. That the Workmen's Com-
pensation Board estimate the
value of one tooth at \$100.00?Now that we know how valuable
a tooth is and how great are the
numbers of cavities in the children
of our schools I think we should
do something about it.We can do a great deal about
this condition.1. Take the cards to your own
dentist and have an examination
and get the work completed and
the cards signed and returned to
the school.2. Take the child to the dentist
every four or six months to have a
check up.3. Brush the teeth two or three
times a day especially before going
to bed at night.4. Do not eat too much sweet
food but eat more fat meals and
fresh fruits of which we have an
abundance.5. That the addition of cane
sugar to our diet is believed to be
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CARM MILLYARD

comprised of Zone 8 (Kitchener-
Guelph), Zone 4 (Simcoe-Port Do-
ver), Zone 5 (Niagara Peninsula),
Zone 6 (Hamilton-Oakville). The
election for the office of District
Governor, for which Mr. Smith will
stand, will be held at the District
Convention, scheduled for Tim-
mins on June 30th.Chairman Carm Millyard outlined
a few of the plans for the annual
Lions Carnival, which is to be
held on the nights of July 15,
16 and 17. Plans are under way to
again make this event a highlight,
and more information will be forth-
coming, following the June 15
meeting.Lion Earl Marsh announced that
the official opening of the Lions
grandstand at the Public School
would be held this Friday night,
with a short ceremony at seven
just prior to the ball game be-
tween Beamsville and the Grimsby
Peach Kings.The Club had the privilege of
hearing two young orators, who
have recently competed in the
Lions Oratorical Contest. Miss
Olga Stepoewy of Grimsby Beach,
and Charles Pullen, student of Fort
Erie High School, who won first
honours in the Oratorical Contest
held here. Both Miss Stepoewy's
and Mr. Pullen's addresses were
outstanding, and their efforts were
roundly applauded by the assem-
bled Lions.Miss Stepoewy spoke on the Lions
motto, Liberty, Intelligence, Our
Nation's Safety, while Mr. Pullen
spoke again on his contest winning
subject "Canada's Opportunities
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BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS
of the WEEK in
TABLOID

Monday is election day.

The stoplight at Main and Depot is working again.

Saturday is Navy League Tag Day in Grimsby and district.

Liquor stores and beverage rooms all over Ontario will be closed on Monday.

W. B. Thompson of the Peach Dairy Bar is laid up with a badly infected hand and arm.

Frank J. Flynn, Liberal candidate in Lincoln will address a public meeting in Trinity Hall tomorrow night. Everybody welcome.

Andrew Cloughley, Superintendent of Queen's Lawn cemetery, suffered a sick spell while at work on Monday and is now confined to West Lincoln Memorial Hospital where he is gradually improving.

Lloyd Pettit, for several years past an engineer at the water works pumping station has resigned his position and with his family will shortly move away from Grimsby having purchased a property at Wilmotville in Norfolk county. Mr. Pettit sold his fine home and farm land on Main west last fall.

Grantham township council is prepared to enter into an agreement with the Ontario Provincial Police for provision of five men and equipment to police the township. It was decided that a force of five officers be adopted on a trial basis to determine whether such a force was adequate for township needs.

There were 75 cases of measles and 30 cases of chickenpox reported to the St. Catharines-Lincoln Health Unit during last week. This is a decided upswing in both of these contagious diseases. To date there have been 435 cases of measles reported for the year, and 381 cases of chickenpox. The report covers the whole of Lincoln County.

Children use the language that they hear, says a medico. Maybe that's the reason Junior can curse as good as dad.

'Stuff 'Round Town



By GORD MCGREGOR

The thrill and spills artists of the Hamilton Black Hawks Motorcycle Club will be a-rippin' and a-roarin' around the half mile oval at Beamserville this Saturday afternoon. The Beamserville C. of C. are sponsoring the meet, which was very successful last year, and should be even better this year. In conjunction with the races, the Lions are setting up a carnival on the grounds. Should be a big day.

THE GAME OF GOLF

The ancient game of golf originated in Scotland, which does not fit in with the general idea that it is a rich man's sport. Of course, it can be quite a drain on the finances, depending, of course, on how much time you spend playing the game, and how much of the afternoon you spend in the clubhouse. It could be summed up this way.

A good golfer is one who uses the clubhouse only as a place to take a shower.

There are very few good golfers around.

The game actually is a fine sport, and, contrary to popular belief, is much more involved than it appears. It is not true that all one does is to hit the ball and then walk after it, only to hit it again, followed by more walking.

There are some very trying moments in this game of golf, and after intensive research, I find that at the top of the list, one of the most trying moments, and the most difficult test of patience is to play behind a ladies' foursome. (That's four "girls" playing together.) For some reason or other around a golf club a woman is a girl, even though she may be sixty-five.

We are now at the first tee, and are bewildered to find that we have to play behind this quartet of "girls." (Should never have had that last drink.) After some trying moments the "girls" have all driven off, and are now approximately thirty feet up the fairway. The second shot, and they are almost a hundred away. (It's now that you wonder whether you should start off or go back and enjoy life.) Finally you are able to drive, so you let her go, and are horrified to see your ball arch down right into the midst of the "girls." Somehow or other you just can force yourself to yell "fore."

You finally get to the green, and find the "girls" putting furiously, but the darned ball just can't find the hole. Back and forth it goes. You stand with an air of exasperation, only to have one of the "girls" turn on you viciously.

"What's the idea of driving right at me, someone might have been killed," she says.

"It didn't come anywhere near you," you state calmly.

"It did."

This is just the start, and you realize that from now on the next two hours will be just plain Hades.

Shortly after you can't resist the temptation to yell "fore" just as one of the "girls" is ready to swing. This, of course, makes her look up while standing on one leg, so she falls to the ground. This does not make for good relations. At the next green things are pretty tense. The "girls" could, of course, let you go ahead, but do they? That's a laugh.

So your game is lousy up, and you scheme and work out the most dire things possible to louse up their game, too.

The bright sunny afternoon has by now lost all its appeal. Your score is ruined as is your temper. You have lost three balls, and your only salvation is to get back to the clubhouse and try and restore your composure.

You sit quietly, meditating about the perfectly lousy afternoon you have had. Voices are all around, some quite hairy (non-golfers) but one voice stands out for all to hear. You finally recognize it as one of the "girls" as she shrinks down into your chair you hear . . .

"and these two beasts just ruined a perfect afternoon, they practically killed us all, and I just know they stole three of our balls."

But we got back at them by stealing three of theirs. They should be reported, never allowed on a golf course. They are a menace to us "girls."

Your mouth turns dry as she makes a point of looking straight at you, and it seems as if everyone is looking right through you. You then realize that you should have pushed her over the cliff when you had the chance. Too late now. So you leave quietly.

Golf is a great game. Can hardly wait to get back out on the old fairways and slap that old pill around. Funny thing how you will torture yourself to play golf.

BOY SCOUT NEWS OF THE DISTRICT TROOPS

(Released from the Public Relations Office)

Restrictions have tightened considerably with regard to the holding of any Boy Scout Camp of three or more days duration, and Scoutmasters and Group Committees should take steps immediately to check with the District Commissioner S. L. Gibson, or this office for full information.

There are several rules which may help the Scoutmaster now planning on a summer camp.

Firstly, it is essential that registration quarten. Then application forms may be obtained from the D.C. which when properly filled out will be forwarded to Headquarters. Only by filling out this application may any camp be called a Registered Camp. The Health Department License is also an absolute necessity.

Information as to the drinking water, name of nearest available doctor, Boy Scout sickness and accident insurance plan, source of milk, and many other essential answers must be given by the Scoutmaster or Group Committee, before a camp license may be obtained.

Health and sanitation at a camp is the Scoutmaster's biggest problem, and great care must be ex-



REAL ESTATE

(Released from the Public Relations Office)

Mr. and Mrs. Harold White have purchased the store and apartment on the corner of Main and Oak Streets, and will open a grocery business at this location on Thursday, June 10th.

Mr. Harry Biggar has purchased the remainder of the Sutherland block from Mr. Eric Garman, this property consisting of the business establishments of "Fay's" Beauty Salon and E. A. Buckham, Jeweller. One apartment above these two shops is included in the trans-

sition.

As we have said there now

seems to be an increasing amount

of "red tape" to overcome for the

prospective camp, but after all, no

amount of regulations should dis-

courage the Scoutmaster and his

Committee from planning a sum-

mer camp. For there is little doubt

but what it is the biggest event in

the Scout year, as far as the boys

are concerned. The healthful vac-

ation, plus the chance to really get

to work on the phases of scout

training, make the camp an abso-

lutely necessary whenever it is at all

necessary.

Last year in the Fruit Belt, only

about a third of the entire enrol-

ment of Scouts attended a summer

camp. We hope that this may be

bettered this year. True there are

such matters as when is the best

time here in the fruit belt?

Or where to hold a camp. And per-

haps some leaders can only get

about ten to fifteen boys from their

own Troop to attend. This being

the case, we suggest that two

troops get together so that around

thirty to forty boys may spend a

week or ten days at a joint camp.

If your troop has a problem with

regard to camping this summer,

let us know about it, and we shall

endeavour to give some assistance.

And don't forget, keep us posted

on all your Troop activities. Ad-

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John W. Johnson, of Grimsby, was fined \$25 when he was convicted of having liquor in his truck after his arrest earlier this week. A second charge of having control of a motor vehicle while intoxicated was withdrawn when Johnson stated that he had only been sitting on the truck while a passenger went for gas for the vehicle.

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